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At the tenth annual meeting of the Mississippi Valley Historical Association, held at Chicago, April 26-28, 1917, W. R. Stevens, of the University of Minnesota, read a paper on "Fur trading companies in the Northwest, 1763-1816," and Theodore C. Pease of the University of Illinois, a paper on "Nauvoo, a possible study in economic determinism."

At the twenty-second annual meeting of the Michigan Academy of Science held at Ann Arbor, March 28-31, 1917, the section of economics, under the chairmanship of Professor Frank T. Carlton, considered the following program: "Railway maintenance of way expenses and cost accounting," A. Bradley, of the University of Michigan; "The future of the country church," Robert Phillips, of the University of Michigan; "Effect of the European war upon the supply of capital and the rate of interest in the United States," David Friday, of New York University; "Descriptive economics," H. C. Adams, of the University of Michigan; "Labor income scheme of farm business analysis," W. O. Hedrick, of Michigan Agricultural College; "The relation of government to economic efficiency," E. H. Ryder, Michigan Agricultural College; "Some tendencies in American municipal indebtedness," F. E. Clark, University of Michigan.

Association meetings to be held in the near future are: National Conference of Charities and Corrections, at Pittsburgh, Pa., June 6-

13 (Secretary, Mrs. G. Sharrot, 40 Court House, Minneapolis, Minn.); National Housing Association, at Chicago, October 15-17 (Secretary, Lawrence Veiller, 105 East 22d St., New York); National Association of Jewish Social Workers, at Pittsburgh, Pa., June 3-6 (Secretary, M. M. Goldstein, 356 Second Ave., New York); National Federation of Settlements, at Pittsburgh, June 2-5 (Secretary, Robert A. Woods, South End House, Boston); and National Women's Trade Union League, at Kansas City, Mo., June 4 (Secretary, Emma Steghagen, 139 North Clark St., Chicago).

The Yearbook of the Carnegie Institution of Washington, for 1916, contains the report of Professor Henry W. Farnam, chairman of the Department of Economics and Sociology. In this he discusses the difficulties under which this department has worked and its future. More recently the department has been discontinued and in its place there has been organized a voluntary association composed of collaborators who were formerly members of the Carnegie department. This new group is known as the Board of Research Associates in American Economic History and is made up of the following members: Henry W. Farnam, chairman, Victor S. Clark, John R. Commons, Davis R. Dewey, Henry B. Gardner, Emory R. Johnson, E. W. Parker, Henry C. Taylor, and Walter F. Willcox. The Carnegie Institution has turned over to this board the balance of appropriations credited on its books, and to this there has been added a private appropriation which practically doubles the fund.

The Department of Economics and Sociology of the Carnegie Institution has already published the index of the economic material in the *Documents of the States*, prepared by Miss A. R. Hasse, and which covers thirteen states. About sixty-five monographic studies have been published through various agencies, independent of the Carnegie Institution. Two histories have been published: *History of Commerce*, by Professor Emory R. Johnson; and *History of Manufactures to 1860*, by Dr. Victor Clark; the *History of the Labor Movement*, by Professor John R. Commons and his associates, will be published within a short time by the Macmillan Company; and the *History of Transportation to 1860*, prepared under the direction of B. H. Meyer, is also announced.

The American Association of Financial Statisticians was organized in New York, April 13, 1917. Professor Charles W. Gerstenberg, of New York University, was elected president.

Washington University (St. Louis) is about to establish a School of

Commerce and Finance based upon two years of prescribed preliminary work. Besides Professors W. F. Gephart, Isaac F. Lippincott, and C. E. Persons, of the present university staff, there will be added Professor George E. Putnam, of the University of Kansas, and Professor R. G. Rodkey, of the University of Michigan.

The New York University School of Accounts has announced that it will offer its department for free auditing of the books of philanthropic organizations of New York City, the work to be done by advanced students under the supervision of Professor Wildman.

The American Academy of Medicine announces two prizes, to be awarded in 1918 and 1921 respectively, for essays on the following subjects: for 1918, "The principles governing the physician's compensation in the various forms of social insurance"; and for 1921, "What effect has child labor on the growth of the body?" The prize for the 1918 essay is to be \$100 and for 1921, \$250.

The legislature of Iowa has recently appropriated \$25,000, annually, to finance child welfare research at the State University of Iowa.

The following persons have been appointed members of the federal Tariff Commission: Professor Frank W. Taussig, of Harvard University, Daniel C. Roper, David J. Lewis, William Kent, William S. Culbertson, and Edward P. Costigan.

Professor E. L. Bogart, of the University of Illinois, Professor S. S. Huebner, of the University of Pennsylvania, Professor E. D. Jones, of the University of Michigan, Hastings Lyon, and Miss A. R. Hasse will teach in the Summer School of Columbia University, July 9-August 17, 1917.

The books and statistical collection of Alexander Del Mar have been added to the library of the American Bankers Association (5 Nassau St., New York). This collection consists of several hundred books, thousands of pamphlets, manuscripts, clippings and notes, covered by an index of about 15,000 cards.

The Investment Bankers Association of America (111 West Munroe St., Chicago) has issued its *Fifth Annual Proceedings*.

Pamphlets and forms relating to trade acceptance may be obtained from the National Association of Credit Men, 41 Park Row, New York City.

The following pamphlets have been added to the Social Insurance Series published by the Social Insurance Committee of the American

Medical Association (535 North Dearborn St., Chicago): No. 5, *Social Insurance*, two lectures by I. M. Rubinow; No. 6, *Medical Organization under Health Insurance*, by Dr. Alexander Lambert; and No. 7, *Statistics of the Medical Profession*.

In the series of Columbia War Papers issued by Columbia University there are to be noted: No. 6, *Food Preparedness*, by Professors Seager and Chaddock; No. 7, *How to Finance the War*, by Professors Seligman and Haig; and No. 8, *Farmers and Speculators*, by Professor B. M. Anderson, Jr.

The Consumers' League of Cincinnati (30 Pickering Bldg.) has published several bulletins dealing with the conditions in mercantile establishments in Cincinnati: No. 1, June, 1915, *Conditions of Sales-women in Mercantile Establishments*; No. 2, June, 1916, *A Study of Living Conditions in Rooming Houses*; No. 3, June, 1916, *Facts about Retail Stores*; and No. 4, *A Study of Restaurant Kitchens*.

Various memoranda in regard to coöperation can be obtained from the Coöperative League of America (70 Fifth Ave., New York), which publishes the *Coöperative Consumer*.

Professor Emory R. Johnson's volume on *Ocean and Inland Water Transportation* is being revised and rewritten and will appear in the fall under the title *Principles of Ocean Transportation*.

The Oxford University Press have published *Small Holdings and Allotments in Oxfordshire*, by A. W. Ashy.

Routledge & Son (London) announce *Chatham's Colonial Policy: a Study of the Fiscal and Economic Implications of the Colonial Policy of the Elder Pitt*, by Miss Kate Hotblack.

Further new books to be noted are:

Macmillan: *Economic Moralism*, by James Haldane Smith; *The Economic Annals of the Nineteenth Century*, vol. II, 1821-1830, by the late Prof. William Smart; *Workmen's Compensation*, by J. E. Rhodes; *The City Worker's World in America*, by Mary K. Simkovich; *Community: A Sociological Study*, by R. M. McIver.

Appleton: *An Introduction to Social Psychology*, by Charles E. Ellwood.

McGraw-Hill Book Co.: *Public Utility Rates*, by H. Barker.

Houghton Mifflin: *Inheritance Taxes*, by Hugh Bancroft; *Is Civilization a Disease?* by Stanton Coit; *Speeches and Addresses, 1915-1917*, by Henry Cabot Lodge.

The Iris Publishing Co. (London): *A History of the Chartist Movement*, by Julius West.

Holt: *Language and Nationality in Europe*, by Leon Dominian; *State Socialism Pro and Con*, by W. E. Walling and H. W. Laidler.

Harper: *Are We Capable of Self Government?* by Frank W. Noxon.

The Century Co.: *British Exploits in South America*, by W. H. Koebel.

Yale University Press: *The Constitution of Canada in its History and Practical Working*, by W. R. Riddell.

The Successful Farming Publishing Company (Des Moines, Iowa) has published a set of *Definite Data Maps*, in order to illustrate the buying power of American farmers and the methods of distribution of goods to them. General heads include: soil elements, farming area, general valuation, crop yields, farm live-stock, operation expenses, farm tenure, merchandise distribution, and farm paper circulation. The respective data are represented by the dot method on maps of the United States in a form familiar to those who have used the *Statistical Atlas* of the Bureau of the Census. They are suggestive and should be of interest to all students of the resources of the United States. Readers who are interested are advised to write to Mr. E. T. Meredith, publisher of *Successful Farming*, in order that he may make plans for the future publication of this series.

The May issue of the *American Labor Legislation Review* is devoted to a survey of "Labor law administration in New York" covering the activities of the industrial commission of that state.

Commerce (Chicago), in the April number, has begun the preparation of a monthly digest of the decisions, rulings, and dismissals by the Interstate Commerce Commission including a monthly resumé of the administrative proceedings of the commission.

The April issue of the *Western Reserve University Bulletin* contains a paper on "Woman's economic service in time of war," by C. C. Arbuthnot.

Appointments and Resignations

Mr. William A. Barber has been promoted from instructor in accounting to assistant professor in methods of commercial education at New York University School of Commerce, Accounts and Finance.

Mr. Nathaniel W. Barnes has been appointed assistant professor of commercial organization in the School of Commerce and Administration of the University of Chicago.

Dr. R. H. Blanchard has been appointed instructor in economics and insurance at Columbia University.

Dr. Alexander E. Cance, of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, has been granted leave of absence from April 1 to January 1, 1918. He expects to devote a part of the time to writing and visiting marketing and coöperative organizations throughout the country; but for the present is working with the state committee on food supply.

Mr. J. B. Canning has been appointed assistant professor of political economy at Stanford University.

Dr. C. H. Crennan has been promoted to assistant professor of economics at the University of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Ira B. Cross has been promoted from assistant professor to associate professor of economics at the University of California.

Professor Stuart Daggett has been promoted from associate professor to professor of transportation at the University of California.

Mr. O. K. Davis is now secretary of the National Foreign Trade Council, succeeding Mr. Robert H. Patchin who resigned the position.

Professor F. H. Dixon, of Dartmouth College, is chairman of the committee which is making an industrial survey of the state of New Hampshire.

Dr. C. S. Duncan has been appointed assistant professor of commercial organization in the School of Commerce and Administration of the University of Chicago.

Mr. J. Anderson Fitzgerald resigned his position as instructor in commercial practice and statistics at the Carnegie Institute of Technology to accept appointment in the recently organized College of Commerce at Toledo University as assistant professor of commerce.

Mr. Major B. Foster has been promoted from instructor in finance to assistant professor in economics at New York University School of Commerce, Accounts and Finance.

Mr. George E. Frazer has been appointed professorial lecturer in business organization in the School of Commerce and Administration of the University of Chicago.

Professor Ralph E. George, of Whitman College, has been granted another year's leave of absence and will devote the time to special investigations for private interests.

Professor Charles W. Gerstenberg, of New York University School

of Commerce, Accounts and Finance is promoted from assistant professor to professor of finance.

Mr. Clair E. Griffin, now instructor in political economy in Dartmouth College, will next year be instructor in transportation at Johns Hopkins University.

Mr. P. M. Heiges is to be instructor in methods in commercial education at New York University School of Commerce, Accounts and Finance.

Mr. Homer Hoyt has been appointed instructor in political economy at Beloit College.

Mr. T. L. Kibler resigned his position with the division of the Department of Justice for the enforcement of acts to regulate commerce in order to accept the position as dean of the College of Commerce at Toledo University.

Mr. Edward J. Kilduff has been promoted from instructor to assistant professor of business English at New York University School of Commerce, Accounts and Finance.

Dr. Frank H. Knight has been appointed instructor in political economy at the University of Chicago.

Mr. F. R. Leach has been appointed lecturer on municipal accounting at New York University School of Commerce, Accounts and Finance.

Mr. Lars P. Meyer has been appointed instructor in finance at New York University School of Commerce and Finance.

Dr. Bruce D. Mudgett has been elected assistant professor of insurance in the University of Washington, Seattle.

Professor H. S. Person, of the Tuck School, Dartmouth College, is a member of the executive committee of the New Hampshire Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Nathan Reass has been made instructor in accounting at New York University School of Commerce, Accounts and Finance.

Mr. B. C. Reece has been appointed instructor in economics at New York University School of Commerce, Accounts and Finance.

Dr. Charles Reitell is to become professor of commerce at Lawrence College, Appleton, Wisconsin.

Dr. Robert Riegel has been promoted to assistant professor of insurance in the University of Pennsylvania.

Dr. I. M. Rubinow will deliver a course of lectures on social insurance in the Summer School of Pittsburgh University during the week of July 9, 1917.

Mr. L. E. Simpson has been appointed instructor in finance at New York University School of Commerce, Accounts and Finance.

Mr. H. P. Shuit has been appointed lecturer on cost accounting at New York University School of Commerce, Accounts and Finance.

Dr. W. W. Swanson, of Queen's University, has succeeded Dr. Gray as professor and head of the department of political economy at the University of Saskatchewan.

Dr. Leo Wolman, instructor in political economy at the University of Michigan, will next year go to Johns Hopkins University as assistant in insurance.